

# Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce



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### Del Fiore Pizza Has A New Address



Angelo Galeofiore has moved his Del Fiore Pizza from North Ocean Avenue to his former MuChaChos location next to the theatre. He has closed his Mangia Mangia restaurant on the opposite side of the theatre, and plans to find a new owner for the space.



Mercy Haven has opened a newly built house on Amity Street in Patchogue for two homeless families, one a mother and her four children. The families are on fixed incomes and come from emergency housing. A rundown house on the property was demolished a year ago to make way for the architect designed duplex. Grant funds came from the Homeless Housing Assistance Corporation.

### We Remember



Flags are presented in front of the American Legion building on South Ocean Ave. at the conclusion of the Memorial Day Parade.



Personal Fitness Trainer Carl Vallejo is a new member of the Chamber. He'll give you a workout at your home or business. Call him at 516-238-4605.

### Nancy Leaves The Crab Shack



Nancy Boerjes and her husband Bruce, long time summer fixtures at the foot of South Ocean Avenue are gone, but their Crab Shack remains.

Nancy and Bruce sold their business to the neighboring Lombardi's and the Village agreed to transfer the lease on the municipal owned property. Now called "The Crabby Shack at Mascot Dock", the business opened, with a similar menu, on Memorial Day weekend. It's not clear yet what the schedule will be. It was open on Tues., June 1, but the attendant said the schedule had not yet been decided.

The Village is also tackling parking problems in the area. It has voted to reduce and restrict parking along South Ocean as well as on Smith Street and Maiden Lane. There have been resident complaints as well as Fire Department concerns for passage of emergency vehicles.

## Save These Dates

**Through July 4**—Friends of Fire Island Art Exhibit, Watch Hill Ferry Terminal, 160 West Ave., Patchogue, Sat. & Sun., 1:00-4:00 p.m., 631-475-1312.

**Saturdays June 5 to June 26**—"Tai Chi in the Park" sponsored by Water Tiger School of T'ai Chi Ch'uan. First of 2 free informal gatherings four-week sessions in Shorefront Park from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. No rain dates scheduled. For more information contact Laurince at 631-475-5730 or email [Laoshi@WaterTigerTaiChi.com](mailto:Laoshi@WaterTigerTaiChi.com).

**Sunday, June 6**—Atlantic Wind Symphony, Patchogue Theatre, 3:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Monday June 7**—Emanuel Lutheran School 7th Annual Golf Outing, 11:00 a.m., Pine Hills Country Club, 631-286-1400.

**Wednesday, June 9**—Installation Ceremony of "Scenes along the Patchogue River" Mural by Robert Zoeller at the Patchogue-Medford Library, by the Greater Patchogue Historical Society, 3:00 p.m., 631-654-1712.

**Thursday, June 10**—Miles To Dayton, Live In The Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Wednesday, June 16**—Healthy Hearts: As the Blood Flows...Down to Your Toes, a free vascular disease Educational Series, Brookhaven Memorial Hospital Medical Center, 6:00 p.m.–7:00p.m., 100 Hospital Road, room 206., 631-654-7240.

**Thursday, June 17**—Fire Island National Seashore General Management Plan Public Meeting, Watch Hill Ferry Terminal, West Ave., 7:00–9:00 p.m., 631-687-4759.

**Saturday, June 19**—Walk for Peace of Mind, presented by New Beginnings, 11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m., Holtsville Ecology Center, 249 Buckley Road, Holtsville, 631-624-565.

**Sunday, June 20**—"Wicked" a Motor coach trip, \$130.00 per person. For more information Contact the Village of Patchogue, Parks and Recreation: 631-475-4302. Limited space and Availability.

**Tuesday June 22**—Patchogue Elks Lodge 1323 First Annual Trap and Skeet Shooting Tournament, Long Island Shooting Range of Brookhaven, RTE 25 Ridge, 9:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m., \$100 per shooter, 631-662-5836.

**Friday June 25** — Unconference: Social, Media Camp, Long Island, St. Joseph's College, McGann Conference Center, O'Connor Hall, 11:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m., free, registration required, 516-882-7712, [www.smcapii.com](http://www.smcapii.com).

**Sunday, June 27**—1st Annual Bike Day, 10:00 a.m. Come join the Parks and Recreation Department for this family friendly tour through the scenic and historic streets of Patchogue Village, 631-475-4302.

**Thursday July 8–Saturday, July 10**—Patchogue Sidewalk Sale Days, 9:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m., Main Street entertainment Friday night, 5:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m., 631-207-1000.

**Friday, July 2**—Alive After Five, Main St., 5:00–9:00 p.m., 631-207-1000.

**Sunday, July 4** —The Neighborhood Band, Howie Seal & Friends, 7:00 p.m.—9:00pm, Shorefront Park

Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Wednesday July 7 to Saturday July 31**—Gateway's Hairspray, Patchogue Theatre, [www.gatewayplayhouse.com](http://www.gatewayplayhouse.com), 631-286-1133.

**Friday, July 9–Sunday, July 25**—"The Nerd", By Larry Shue. Presented by St. Joseph's College 155 Roe Boulevard, Patchogue, Clare Rose Playhouse, 8:00 p.m. on July 9, 10, 16, 17, 23, and 24; and at 3:00 p.m. on July 11, 18, and 25, 631-654-0199.

**Saturday, July 10**—10th Annual Garden Tour, Patchogue Garden Club, Tickets \$15, presale price:\$13, Paula 631-289-0234.

**Thursday, July 15** —Evening under the Stars hosted by Tom Madigan. 7:30 p.m. to midnight (rain date July 23), Shorefront Park Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Friday, July 16**—Alive After Five, Main St., 5:00–9:00 p.m., 631-207-1000.

**Sunday, July 18**—Kids Konzert, Albert Lee, 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m., Shorefront Park Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Wednesday, July 21**— MOVIE NIGHT: "The Princess & The Frog". 8:30 p.m. (rain date July 22), Shorefront Park, 631-475-4302.

**Saturday, July 24**—Ed Travers, Jimmy Buffet Tribute of the 60's, 70's, & 80's, 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m., Shorefront Park Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Sunday July 25**—Kiwanis Club of Patchogue Twilight Trot 5K, BrickHouse Brewery, 67 West Main St., Patchogue, 6:00 p.m., 631-447-2337.

**Friday, July 30**—Alive After Five, Main St., 5:00–9:00 p.m., 631-207-1000.

**Saturday, July 31**—Milagro, Santana Tribute, 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m., Shorefront Park Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Wednesday August 4 to Sunday August 22**— Gateway's Hello Dolly, Patchogue Theatre, [www.gatewayplayhouse.com](http://www.gatewayplayhouse.com), 631-286-1133

**Friday August 6**—The Sun Gets Down, Alternative/Progressive Rock, 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m., Shorefront Park Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Sunday, August 8**—Mercy Haven Inc. 4th Annual Motorcycle Ride for Change., Victoria at 631-277-8300.

**Sunday, August 8**—Michael Jazz Trio. 4:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m., Shorefront Park Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Friday August 13**—Releve Dance Center 2nd Annual Fundraiser to benefit "Friends of Shorefront Park Playground Project", Shorefront Band Shell, 4:00 p.m.–6:00 p.m., 631-475-4302.

**Friday, August 13**—Alive After Five, Main St., 5:00–9:00 p.m., 631-207-1000.

**Saturday, August 14**—27th Annual Snapper Derby, Sponsored by J & J Bait and Tackle, Mascot Dock, contest ages 6 to 10, 1:00 p.m.– 2:00pm., ages 11 to 14, 2:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m., \$3.00 in advance, \$5.00 day of derby, 631-475-4302.

**Saturdays August 14 to September 4**—"Tai Chi in the Park" sponsored by Water Tiger School of T'ai Chi Ch'uan. Second of 2 free informal gatherings four-week sessions in Shorefront Park from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. No rain dates scheduled. For more information

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**Saturday, August 14**—Six Gun Live, country with a kick. 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m., Shorefront Park Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Sunday, August 15**—2011 Miss L.I. Pageant, Patchogue Theatre, 4:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Saturday, August 28**—Jay Scott & Grand Case Scenario, original Folk/Blues/Jazz, 7:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m., Shorefront Park Band Shell, 631-475-4302.

**Saturday, September 11**—27th Annual Old-Timer's Day Game, (Rain date: September 12th) Shorefront Park, 2:00 p.m., 631-475-4302.

**Wednesday, September 16 & 30**—"Bilingual Story time", Patchogue-Medford Library, 54-60 East Main St. Patchogue, 4:30 p.m.–5:30p.m., 631-654-4700 ext. 261.

**Saturday, September 19**—"Sisters in Health", Patchogue-Medford Library, 54-60 East Main St. Patchogue, 2:00 p.m.–3:30p.m., 631-654-4700 ext. 248.

**Friday, October 1**—Paula Poundstone, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Saturday, October 2**—Betty Buckley, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Sunday October 10**—Jesus Alive, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Saturday, October 16**— Mercy Haven Inc. 25th Anniversary Gala at the Bourne Mansion, 631-277-8300.

**Saturday, October 16**—Brenda Lee, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Sunday, October 17**—"Mambo Loco", Patchogue-Medford Library, 54-60 East Main St. Patchogue, 2:30 p.m., 631-654-4700 ext. 248.

**Saturday, October 23**—The Led Zeppelin Experience, Hammer of The Gods, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Sunday, October 24**—The 3rd Annual Patchogue Arts Festival, Patchogue Theatre, 1:00–8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Saturday, October 30**—The Glenn Miller Orchestra, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Saturday, November 6**—Mickey B's Thanksgiving Disco Fever Concert and Dance Contest, Patchogue Theatre, 7:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Thursday November 11**—In the Mood 2nd Annual Veterans Day Gala, New Beginnings Community Center, 631-624-5651, [www.nbli.org](http://www.nbli.org).

**Sunday, November 14**—Connie Francis, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Saturday, November 20**—Celebrity Autobiography, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Sunday December 5**—Kiwanis Club of Patchogue Toy Trot 5K, BrickHouse Brewery, 67 West Main St., Patchogue, 631-447-2337.

**Friday, December 10**—Jack Frost, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

**Saturday, May 7**—David Brenner, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.



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Congratulations to John J. (Pete) Roe. He's this year's Good Scout honoree by the Boy Scouts of America, Suffolk County Council. An awards banquet will be held at Lombardi's on The Sound at the Port Jefferson Country Club following the 38th Annual Good Scout William H. Sample Memorial Golf Tournament on June 21. Pete earned his Eagle Scout award at Troop 44, sponsored by the Congregational Church of Patchogue.

## New Members in May

**Chicken Palace**, Carlos Iparnaguirre, *Restaurant*, 82 East Main St., Patchogue, NY 11772, 631-447-0912.

**Clean Green Machine**, Pete Polselli, *Hard Service Cleaning*, 50 Danes St., Patchogue, NY 11772, 631-987-3454.

**Fitness Coaching/In-Home Personal Training**, Carl Vallejo, 1824 Goldbach Ave., Ronkonkoma, NY 11779, 516-238-4605.

**HTM Landscaping**, Nicholas Harding, *Landscape Contractor*, P.O. Box 836, Patchogue, NY 11772, 631-475-0636.

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**.Nationwide Insurance/Parente**, Marc Parente, *Insurance Agent*, 59 N. Ocean Ave., Patchogue, NY 11772, 631-851-0101.

**Patchogue Elks 1323**, *Civic Organization*, 14 Oak St., Patchogue, NY 11772, 631-475-1323.

**Platinum Day Spa**, Tracey Scafidi, *Spa*, 50 West Main St., Patchogue, NY 11772, 347-885-0429.

**The Oar Steak and Seafood Grill**, Richard & Lindsey Blakeslee, *Restaurant*, 264 West Ave., Patchogue, NY 11772, 631-654-8266.

## From The President

We have some special anniversaries to celebrate within our chamber this year. Family owned Mayer's Flower Cottage is celebrating 50 years in Patchogue. The Rizzi family, owners of The Pine Grove Inn, is celebrating the 100th year of their famous restaurant.

The Business Promotion Mother's Day free flower promotion was a great success again this year. All petunias, in a variety of colors. Did you know that the petunia is the official flower of Patchogue?

A bright shiny halo to Abe Siegel of Blum's for not only sprucing up his

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building with a fresh coat of white paint, but also reaching out to a wall west of his building and having that painted too! Talk about a good neighbor! Also, Mario famous for his "Casa DiMario" shoes was kind enough to have the garden west of his store cleaned out and trimmed back! I suppose we should all look around and see how we can "PITCH IN" to help clean up our business district!

Awesome! That's the word to describe the TriTec 31 West Main project. Be sure to walk the sidewalk, check out the main floor and look at the lovely stores available to rent.

The renovations are moving right along on the Dove building on the Four Corners. Budget Buy & Sell will have a great new face lift. It's nice to see our business district continue to improve. I know Paula Murphy and Karen Ferb are anxious to get the street planters underway. We all appreciate the efforts of the Beautification Committee.

President Lari

P.S. I am enjoying the beautiful hanging flower baskets, courtesy of the Patchogue Business Improvement District.